

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Thursday:
Victoria—Windy. Light to
fair winds, mostly north, generally
fair and colder at night.
Lower Mainland—Decreasing westerly
winds, generally fair and colder at
night.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Royal—Hay Foot, Straw Foot.
Fantasies—Vaudeville.
Dominion—For Better, For Worse.
Variety—One of the Blood.
Columbia—A Diplomatic Mission.
Romano—The Unpainted Woman.

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LENINE IS REPORTED IN JAIL AT MOSCOW

ALLIES MEAN GERMAN TROOPS SHALL LEAVE BALTIC AREA AT ONCE

Foch Drawing Up Note to German Government About Von Der Goltz's Troops; Strong Measures by Allied Powers if Further Delay

Paris, Oct. 8.—Marshal Foch, who yesterday was instructed by the Supreme Council to draw up a new note to the German Government relative to the withdrawal of Gen. von der Goltz's troops from the Baltic provinces, will couch the document very clearly, according to the newspapers here. The note, it is said, will state that in case there are further dilatory tactics by Berlin, measures will be announced for dealing with the situation and will be immediately and rigorously applied.

London, Oct. 8.—The report that General von der Goltz, commander of the German forces in the Baltic provinces, has joined the Russian Bolshevik forces with his staff is denied in a German Government wireless message received here.

Paris, Oct. 8.—Diplomats and military men of all the Allied and Associated Powers are agreed that the German troops under General von der Goltz in the Baltic provinces are a menace to Entente interests as they are now operating and should be withdrawn, but there is a great difference of opinion as to the best means of effecting their disarmament and disbandment.

Bolshevism

The fear is expressed by many officers who are familiar with the situation that a considerable number of von der Goltz's troops may pass into Bolshevism, as they are for the most part men whose properties and employment have been ruined by the war, and they have sought the Baltic provinces as a pioneer country where they could re-establish their fortunes.

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WINNIPEG INQUIRY EARLY NEXT WEEK

Robson, Chairman of Commerce Board, Will Return There

Winnipeg, Oct. 8.—Judge Robson, chairman of the Board of Commerce, will not return to Winnipeg until early next week, Harry Whittle, K.C., counsel for the Board, was informed by telegram from Ottawa to-day. Mr. Whittle had wired the Commission asking it, owing to the absence in the east of Judge Robson and James Auld, who has been acting as Commissioner in this city, the Board would appoint some one else to continue the investigation. The reply indicates that the sessions in Winnipeg have been suspended until next week.

Wheat in States.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—Julius Barnes, Director of the United States Grain Corporation, speaking here to-day, termed agitation for the lower wheat price to reduce the cost of living a "popular fallacy."

He said the guarantee of \$2.05 a bushel to the American farmer was considerably below the world market price and declared there was no profiteering in wheat or wheat products. Other countries paid as much as \$4.35 a bushel for wheat and the present world price was \$2.46. The wholesale price of wheat, he said, had increased 168 per cent since 1913, the cost of flour 118 per cent and that of bread 75 per cent.

According to Barnes, food products are 200 per cent higher in Great Britain, France and Italy than in the United States.

PRODUCES MOST APPLES.

Olympia, Wash., Oct. 8.—The State of Washington leads the United States in the production of apples. State Agriculture Commissioner E. F. Benson states that he has received Government reports to this effect.

IMMIGRATION OF ASIATICS DEBATED

California Federation of Labor Discusses Resolution Urging Exclusion

(Concluded on page 14.)

Bakersfield, Cal., Oct. 8.—A resolution demanding the cancellation of the "gentlemen's agreement" between the United States and Japan, demanding exclusion of "picture brides," rigorous exclusion of the Japanese as immigrants and the barring of Asiatics forever from American citizenship, will be debated before the California State Federation of Labor to-day.

The resolution says in part:

"We believe that a great menace faces the state in the constant increase in the numbers and activities of the Oriental population; that the gentlemen's agreement between the United States and Japan is being systematically violated in letter and spirit by the Japanese; that there is an ever-increasing number of picture brides; that one of the gravest conditions arising out of these conditions is a steady increase in the number of Japanese arriving at the age of majority and being entitled to the right to vote because of the fact of being born in this country, although their parents are ineligible to citizenship, and that in view of these menacing conditions, the gates should be closed permanently against Asiatics, and they and their children be barred from American citizenship."

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Canadian Surplus of Cheese Will Be Bought by Britain

London, Oct. 8.—The Food Controller announces he has decided to purchase the estimated balance of 5,500 tons of this season's exportable surplus of Canadian cheese.

OTTAWA AND BRITISH PEACE DECLARATIONS ON SAME DAY

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—The Canadian Government expects to make a proclamation of peace simultaneously with the British proclamation and not before, according to information given the Senate by Sir James Lougheed.

London, Oct. 8.—The German press foreshadows the exchange of documents relating to ratification of the peace treaty in the latter part of October, according to a wireless report received here. This, however, is contingent on the

The Versailles peace treaty with Germany may come before the Czechoslovak Parliament for ratification at a plenary session next week. Debate on ratification will be followed by a discussion of the general lines of the foreign policy of the new republic. On this subject, M. Benes made an introductory statement last week.

FIRE IN QUEBEC.

Quebec, Oct. 8.—Damage ranging between \$15,000 and \$20,000 was caused by fire here last night in the Lemesure Tobacco Company's factory.

At Mather Field.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 8.—Lieut. E. C. Kiel, piloting a De Haviland aeroplane, landed at Mather Field, ten miles from Sacramento, in thirty-seven minutes elapsed time from San Francisco to-day, the first to reach this resting point in the race from San Francisco to Mineola, N. Y. Cadet D. A. Cardiff was second to take the air. He left at 6:52. His plane carries no observer.

The first six machines took the

air in less than five minutes, and

they were closely followed by three more.

After breakfasting and taking on supplies, the aviators will resume the dash, commencing east of here the ascent over the snow-capped Sierra Nevada Mountains. The next stop probably will be at Reno,

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SARNIA PEOPLE ARE STIRRED UP

Safety Committee Says Rev. W. Ivens Shall Not Deliver Speech

Sarnia, Ont., Oct. 8.—Lawful means to keep Rev. William Ivens, of Winnipeg's strike fame, out of Sarnia will be taken as a direct result of a meeting of some hundreds of citizens in Victoria Park here last night.

Nothing in recent years has stirred up such an agitation in Lambton County as the announcement of Rev. Mr. Ivens that he would brave the storm of protest and speak in Sarnia, come what might.

Lieut.-Colonel Towers, addressing a meeting of citizens in Victoria Park last night, stated that no one protested the right of free speech in Canada, but no one could use free speech to infringe on other people's rights. People also had the right to protest against the abuse of the use of free speech and this was the attitude of the Sarnia Safety Committee.

Following the close of the meeting, at which 400 names were added to the Safety Committee's list, it was moved and seconded, "that in the opinion of citizens of Sarnia, William Ivens be not allowed publicly to address the people of Sarnia at any time."

MERCIER HONORED BY COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

New York, Oct. 8.—Columbia University yesterday conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws, "honoris causa," the highest distinction in its power to bestow, upon Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, and "spiritual hero of the greatest of wars." Ten thousand faculty members, students and their families and friends witnessed the ceremony.

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TOLD OF BURDENS FOLLOWING WAR

Deputy Minister of Finance
Heard by Re-establishment Committee

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—A presentation of the Government's obligation in regard to the payment of perhaps a \$200,000,000 re-establishment grant in addition to burdens already to be borne, was given to the special Commons Committee on the Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment yesterday afternoon by T. C. Boville, Deputy Minister of Finance.

Since March 31, 1914, the public debt has increased 58% per cent, from \$335,996,000 to an estimate for 1919-20 of \$1,950,000,000. Pensions are estimated this year at \$20,000,000; land settlement, \$25,000,000, and soldiers' civil re-establishment, \$10,000,000. Interest on the public debt has risen from \$12,093,000 in 1913-14 to \$102,762,000 this year.

The war expenditures for 1918-20 were estimated by Mr. Boville at \$350,000,000, exclusive of pensions, and this year's consolidated revenue receipts were estimated at \$244,000,000.

Income Tax.

Income taxes were levied on 51,588 persons in 1917, and the amount of assessment was \$12,221,665. Only 47,091 persons paid, and the amount collected was just a little more than \$10,000,000. Only 32,668 persons paid incomes between \$1,500 and \$6,000, and \$1,469,000 was collected from them. Only forty persons paid on incomes of more than \$100,000, a total of \$1,470,000.

Difference.

T. C. Cox, officer in charge of gratuities for the Military Department, was recalled in regard to a difference between his estimate of the number who reached France and the number estimated in the G. W. V. A. plan. It was pointed out that there was a discrepancy which would mean a difference of \$75,000,000 if gratuities were paid on the basis of the G. W. V. A. figures. Mr. Cox had no means of showing which men had been returned to France a second time, and it was thought that this would largely account for the discrepancy.

Civil Service Bill.

Having disposed of the last of those complaining against the reclassification of the civil service at the morning session, the special committee of the Commons considering the bill to amend the Civil Service Act devoted yesterday afternoon and evening sittings to consideration of details of the bill apart from classification.

At the evening sitting it was proposed to amend the provision of the Act giving preference to returned soldiers by making the preference apply also to the dependents of soldiers, more particularly, of course, to the widows of men who lost their lives. It was recognized that this would open the door to a considerable degree, and make it necessary to define the meaning of "dependent."

Locally.

Mr. Boys suggested an amendment providing that local appointments to the service should be confined in so far as possible, to the people in the district in which appointment is made.

Before the committee adjourned, Hon. A. K. Maclean expressed the hope that the committee would make a recommendation in favor of the re-establishment of a system of superannuation in the civil service, not at once, but some time in the near future. In the discussion which followed, the members of the committee expressed themselves almost unanimously in favor of the proposal.

MINIMUM WAGE FOR WINNIPEG WAITRESSES

Winnipeg, Oct. 8.—The Minimum Wage Act, in relation to the proprietors of five restaurants in Winnipeg who refuse to pay their waitresses in straight salary the amount of compensation ruled by the Board, will be enforced to the limit, and if through a technicality the proprietors should be able to continue their present scale of wages, the Act will be amended so that they will be compelled to pay the minimum wage of \$1.25 a week. This is announced by the Government.

PROHIBITION BILLS IN OTTAWA HOUSE

One Measure Introduced Provides For Decision by Referendum

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—Hon. C. J. Doherty, by unanimous consent, introduced in the House yesterday afternoon two prohibition bills. The first would amend the provisions of the Canada Temperance Act so as to make it possible upon a plebiscite vote of the electors of the entire Province—which plebiscite would be taken upon a petition based on a resolution of the Legislative Assembly—if the majority of the electors should declare that the importation of liquor into the Province, or both, to be absolutely prohibited, to have manufacture or importation, or both, prohibited by proclamation.

In effect, the bill would extend the principle of the Canada Temperance Act so as to enable a majority of the electors of a Province to vote implementation under absolute prohibition.

Mr. Doherty's second bill would amend the Act in aid of provincial legislation so as to make its provisions extend not only to importation of liquor, but to manufacture within the Province of liquor to be used.

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Power to Prohibit.

"This," added the Minister, referring to the bill he had just introduced, "would be a method whereby the bill would hold a referendum in the area of the Province on whose behalf the petition was made."

Hon. Charles March: Does the measure provide for this coming into effect on a majority of the total votes cast, or on a majority of the voters on the list?

Mr. Maclean: Then Ontario would have to have a special referendum on this question in order to avail itself of this bill?

Mr. Doherty: Upon a petition this Government would hold a referendum in the area of the Province on whose behalf the petition was made.

Hon. Charles March: Does the measure provide for this coming into effect on a majority of the total votes cast, or on a majority of the voters on the list?

Mr. Doherty: It is a provision of the Canadian Temperance Act which I think provides simply for a majority.

The other bill introduced by Mr. Doherty would amend what is generally known as the Doherty Act, a piece of legislation prohibiting the sale or use of intoxicating liquors.

Firerae.

On second reading of a bill to amend the Criminal Code, providing that aliens must not have firearms without a permit, an amendment by S. W. Jacobs, calling for like treatment for all citizens, was negatived on division of 55 to 34.

The House considered a resolution by Mr. Guthrie to permit manufacture and importation of oleomargarine until August 3 next and its sale until March 1, 1921. The opposition of the Dairymen's Association was voiced by Donald Sutherland, but the resolution carried on a division of 22 to 15, and a bill was introduced.

WASHINGTON CONFERENCE

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BACK FROM SIBERIA.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—Three hundred and seventy casuals from the American expeditionary force in Siberia landed here Monday from the transport Thomas. The men are nearly all California residents.

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CAPTAIN ADAMS WAS TAKEN BY ENTIRE SURPRISE

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"For one whole year before I took Tanlac there was hardly a day that I didn't have a severe headache and hardly a night that I got any sleep," said S. S. Adams when he called at the Owl Drug Co. in Vancouver, B. C., the other day. Mr. Adams served as a Captain in the English Army, and at the time he made this statement he was registered at the St. Frances Hotel, 600 Cordova, West, Vancouver. Mr. Adams further stated that he would leave for the Orient in a few days to accept a managing position with an English firm in Japan.

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Is the Alien a Menace?

IN the October issue of MACLEAN'S MAGAZINE a strong presentation is made of the reason why the people of the West are against further foreign immigration.

"The Menace of the Alien" depicts the foreign problem in the Canadian West as it exists to-day, and shows every one of us why we must Canadianize our Ruthenians, Austrians, Slovaks, and our fifty-seven other varieties before we allow any further "unrestricted" immigration.

This article is written by a member of MACLEAN'S MAGAZINE staff who has just returned from a careful, personal investigation of the situation. Shall we have a "White West?" Many Westerners are demanding it. Are the aliens to swing labor into the bosom of the O.B.U.? It is being done—and what must we do to stop it?

The "inside" story of the routing of the Drumheller miner aliens by returned Canadian war veterans is here told by MACLEAN'S for the first time. What leadership must be substituted for the O.B.U. leadership of these foreigners?

The October issue of MACLEAN'S is a Western number in the sense that it contains many articles and stories of distinctly Western interest. For instance:

X "Those Pesky Farmers Out West"

By Hopkins Moorhouse, Author of "Deep Furrows"

They have completely upset the old order of things. No longer will politics consist of the comfortable fight between the Ins and Outs with the old party lines maintained. The grain growers on the Prairies have upset the calculations of the professional politicians and completely changed the face of Dominion politics.

X "Fifty Years in the West"

By Professor W. T. Allison

A breezy and readable sketch of the business career of Winnipeg's veteran business man, James H. Ashdown.

X "Further Discoveries of New Land"

By Vilhjalmur Stefansson

The final and most interesting instalment of Mr. Stefansson's story of his wonderful trip of five years' duration in the Canadian north in which he tells for the first time of finding new continents in the Arctic and hoisting there the Canadian flag.

X "The Banshee Bell"

By Edith G. Bayne

A bright love story laid in the mountains of British Columbia.

Other Splendid Features of October MacLean's

X "The Turmoil at Ottawa"

By J. K. Munro

A comprehensive survey of Dominion politics, written with complete impartiality and absolute candor. It is bright and breezy, with a knock in every line for the political opportunists. It plucks many tail feathers from our party leaders.

X "Spanish Doubloons"

By Camille Kenyon

The start of a bright and fascinating serial story by a brilliant young writer. It is the Spanish Main brought up-to-date, treasure hunting with a background of fun and romance.

"The Airy Prince"

By Arthur Barker-Baxter

A complete novelette in which is presented a bird's-eye view of England in time of war. It is one of the most brilliant stories that has been written of recent years.

"His Majesty's Well-Beloved"

By Baroness Orczy

The latest novel by this popular authoress appearing exclusively in MACLEAN'S.

"Ebb and Flow"

By C. W. Stephens

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SUGAR ORDER NOW IN FORCE ON COAST

Profits Regulated by Commerce Board; Inquiry at Vancouver

Vancouver, Oct. 8.—The order of the Board of Commerce of Canada regulating the price of sugar is in effect in this province, copies of the order having been received by Lieutenant H. D. Hulme, examiner for the Board in this province.

This was announced by the examiner yesterday at the sitting of the inquiry into the cost of living here.

The order limits the wholesalers to a commission of five per cent, and the refiners to a net profit of not greater than two-fifths of one cent per pound.

Inquiry. The inquiry here yesterday was devoted chiefly to the supply and sale of butter, eggs, and bacon, and in this connection witnesses from the Hudson's Bay Co., David Spencer, Ltd., The London Grocery, retailers, and Parsons & Haddock, Naysmith & Co., and the Vancouver Creamery, wholesalers, were examined.

The evidence of the retailers was in perfect accord, and their invoices of purchases and quotations of selling prices, overhead costs and expenses connected with bringing the

three products in question from producer to consumer, proved that in regard to the retail trade, butter, eggs and bacon were invariably sold at a loss to the retailer. Wholesalers admitted a profit of approximately two cents a dozen on eggs and three cents a pound on butter, but evidence of wholesalers in connection with the wholesaling of bacon was not forthcoming.

William J. Haddock, of the firm of Parsons & Haddock, stated that the Poultrymen's Union had proved a potent factor in the egg market. The Union had been designed to eliminate the wholesaler and bring eggs direct from the producer to the consumer, but in some respects the Union had been unable to make large returns to its shippers as wholesale firms had.

In reply to a direct question from J. B. Pattullo, K.C., counsel for the Government, the witness said he thought that the price of eggs had been higher since the Union had come into existence a few months ago. He admitted a percentage of profit on gross sales of about eight per cent yearly. The annual turnover for his firm was approximately \$65,000. Operating and overhead expenses approximated about five per cent on the turnover. This year they would be about 6%. This year there would be about 6% per cent.

TAXES IN SEATTLE.

Seattle, Oct. 8.—Seattle's tax rate for the expenses of its city government will be 3.55 mills greater in 1920 than in 1919, the total fund to be raised by taxation being \$1,638,397.82 more than this year.

PREPARING PLAN NOW FOR IRELAND

British Cabinet Hastening Work as Urgency is Realized

London, Oct. 8.—Parliamentarians say an Irish bill will be the feature of the next session of Parliament, and the Cabinet is now considering one drafted on lines of Dominions Home Rule, but with suggested alterations that any country may stand out, or the Ulster countries may all be included and have their own Legislature.

The Government's Irish policy is rapidly taking shape under the pressure of recently developed circumstances which surprised the Cabinet, says The Daily Mail. The law officers of the crown, The Mail states, discovered, after careful examination of the "Suspension Act"—an act carried during the war to postpone the operation of the Home Rule Act—that under its terms the Home Rule Act becomes operative on the day the peace treaty is signed by Turkey, the last belligerent to sign.

Opinion Upset.

It was generally assumed, the newspaper adds, that the Suspension Act would operate six months longer, when other measures, such as the Defence of the Realm Act, would terminate, but the ruling of the officials upset this view. The Government, however, according to the newspaper, is under urgent necessity for formulating Irish proposals and the carrying of them as an amendment to the Home Rule Act unless the latter is to become operative as it stands on the statute books.

The Daily Mail points out that for this purpose the Government only has six weeks, as it is expected that Parliament will meet a fortnight hence, so there will be only one month of parliamentary time in which to carry out the proposals.

Generous Prop. al.

The scheme has not yet been fixed definitely, but the Ministers have decided to offer the Nationalists of Ireland what they describe as a very generous proposal indeed. Undoubtedly it will take the form of a wide measure of home rule, but the pledges given to Ulster are held as binding, and the exclusion of all countries where Ulstermen predominate is contemplated. It is thought that the system of proportional representation recently enacted for the Irish municipal elections will be applied in the elections under the Home Rule plan.

The Cabinet Committee which was constituted to draft the Irish proposals has met frequently, and the whole Cabinet yesterday, The Mail says, discussed the scheme and carried it further.

DRINK IN JAMAICA WILL ATTRACT MANY MEN FROM STATES

New York, Oct. 8.—Jamaica is going to be the "mecca" of American anti-prohibitionists this winter and the exodus, from the United States has already begun according to the Rev. Christopher Sullivan, a Jesuit missionary who arrived to-day.

Many hotels on the island, Father Sullivan said, had been closed during the summer to prepare for the "wet" season, which will be in full swing in two months. American tourists, he said, formerly spent about \$500,000 annually in Jamaica, but the amount the coming year, he believed, would exceed \$1,000,000.

MISSION WORK OF METHODIST CHURCH

Toronto, Oct. 8.—Appropriations for mission work at home and abroad for the coming year amounting to \$1,151,165 were authorized by the General Board of Missions of the Methodist Church here yesterday.

The Board agreed to release Rev. J. H. Arnup from his duties as Assistant Secretary of Foreign Missions to act as secretary of the national campaign of the Methodist Church.

A recommendation from the Saskatchewan Convention that a missionary superintendent be appointed for work among the non-English speaking people was not sustained by the Board. The delegates from Saskatchewan urged strongly the need for a special superintendent, but the Board thought that the time was not ripe for such an appointment.

BIG AUTUMN FUR SALE IN NEW YORK

New York, Oct. 8.—A total of \$1,200,000 worth of furs changed hands at the big autumn fur auction here yesterday. This is said to establish a record for a single day's sale and brought the grand total since the auction opened up to \$2,200,000.

The record yesterday was considered remarkable in that not one of nearly 600,000 pelts sold brought more than \$44. Increases over last spring's sales ranged from ten per cent. on flying squirrel to sixty per cent. on nutria. The only decline was in the price of Australia fox which dropped twenty per cent.

PASSENGERS KILLED IN CRASH TO-DAY IN NORTH OAKLAND, CAL.

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 8.—Four persons were killed and four fatally injured, according to the police, as the result of a San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railway (Key Route) train striking a jitney bus in North Oakland yesterday. The train was being run by strikebreakers, as all of the company's platform men are out.

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SIR ARTHUR CURRIE'S ADDRESS.

Sir Arthur Currie's address before the Canadian Club yesterday was a memorable event in the history of that organization. It was a soldier's story, told by the one man who knew it all, and in the most effective and impressive way. The General spoke throughout in a purely conversational style, but with a simple eloquence that thrilled his listeners, while his description of military developments of unparalleled magnitude was so clear and vivid that it could have been understood by a child.

His remarks dealt mainly with the campaign of 1918, particularly with the part played by the Canadian Corps. He could have enthralled his audience with a narrative of any of the numerous other phases of the titanic struggle in which he had played so conspicuous a part, but his object evidently was to impress upon everyone a realization of how vital a factor was the Canadian Corps in the determination of the final decision on the field, to explain the reason and purpose of operations which might not be clear to the public mind, and to remove any confusion and misconception which might have arisen from the versions of ill-informed people or the criticism of those, who like that egregious individual Sir Sam Hughes, have been actuated by personal malice.

Sir Sam Hughes, whose antics suggest that he cherished the idea that Germany precipitated the war for the express purpose of providing an opportunity for his glorification, has been indulging again in one of those amazing outbursts which make us marvel that Canada possesses a constituency that could raise such a person into the public life of the country. Those familiar with the eccentricities of the ex-Minister, and the real inwardness of his motives, are disposed to treat his diatribes with the contempt they deserve but, unfortunately, there are many who do not know to whom his vapors are likely to give an abominable erroneous impression.

General Currie traced the movements of the Canadian Corps in considerable detail from its extraordinary victory in the Battle of Amiens on August 8—what General Ludendorff describes as "Germany's blackest day" up to that time—to the occupation of Mons. He described how the Corps had been held by Sir Douglas Haig for the British counter-offensive and how, during the dark days from March into the summer, the knowledge that he still had the Canadian troops as a striking force proved a great source of comfort to the British commander in chief.

The training of the Corps for the big attack, the manner in which the enemy was deceived as to the place of the projected operation, the final preparations, and then the marvellously successful advance which in one day reached the objective which it was thought would not be gained until after a veritable campaign, were graphically recounted. Incidentally, Sir Arthur read a communication he addressed to the commander of the 4th Army, to which the Corps was attached, urging the abandonment of any attempt to proceed with the offensive in this sector after the old Somme positions had been reached, owing to the heavy loss of life it would involve, and recommending that the Canadians be withdrawn to a sector farther north where it would be possible to renew the offensive under more favorable conditions. It is worthy of note that the Canadian commander's recommendations were adopted.

General Currie made it clear that it was the success of the Canadian Corps east of Amiens on August 8 and the following days which altered the whole programme of Marshal Foch. It had been planned only to clear the Paris-Amiens railway from the German menace, and await the arrival of the full strength of the American army in the next year for the final effort. But the result of the Battle of Amiens placed the enemy at such a disadvantage that it would have been supreme folly to stop. Hence, the whole series of decisive operations which preceded the signing of the armistice were dictated by the transformation of strategical conditions effected by the victory of August 8. It might be added, moreover, that if it had not been for that victory the American-French offensive between the Champagne and the Meuse also would have been deferred until 1919.

General Currie shattered the fanciful story of the "desperate fighting for Mons" of which weird tales were told by some who knew nothing about it. There was no assault upon Mons, and that place was occupied hours before the armistice went into effect. Orders had been given by the supreme command of the Allies to continue fighting until the moment fixed by the armistice, and the whole Allied front carried out those orders, as it was bound to do. Criticism because the Allies did not stop fighting at 5 o'clock in the morning when the armistice was signed, instead of at 11 o'clock when the armistice went into effect, ought to be directed at the supreme command whose reply, we may be sure, would be sufficiently crushing.

Sir Arthur Currie's appeal, in conclusion, on behalf of the returned soldiers, was one of the

most noteworthy features of his address. He emphasized the fact that the returned soldier question was a problem for not only Governments but for the Canadian people as well, and that they should co-operate as individuals in its solution. This is strikingly true. Governments alone cannot dispose of that problem, and the public cannot be impressed too strongly with this fact.

GIVE DETAILS THEN DISCUSS THEM.

At yesterday's session of the Convention of British Columbia Municipalities the following resolution was brought in by Victoria's delegation: "That it is necessary that municipalities be granted additional sources of revenue in order to meet the obligations already imposed upon them."

This is a matter which the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, is desirous of discussing with every municipality in British Columbia. In order to arrange sittings for the purpose of threshing the matter out he has asked every municipality, city and district, to fill in a detailed questionnaire, so that there shall be no lack of information at the proper time. So far more than a dozen places are still to be heard from. When all the returns are in, however, it is the Minister's intention to follow out the proposal with which every municipality is now fully conversant. What relief the Province may find it possible to extend to the municipalities without impairing its own inadequate sources of income will depend upon a number of considerations and until frank discussion of the whole subject has taken place it is not possible to hazard an opinion.

If British Columbia's financial position were such that the Provincial Treasury could be tapped with impunity it would be a different matter; but until the public debt is very materially reduced and provincial revenue brought into a closer harmony with expenditure both Province and Municipalities, with their present interlocking obligations, will have to cut their cloth accordingly.

DR. TOLMIE'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

After Dr. Tolmie's announcement to the Board of Trade yesterday any apprehension about the drydock should disappear. The Minister of Agriculture declared that the Federal Government intended to proceed with its plans without delay, and that just prior to his departure from the national capital he received the assurance that everything was satisfactory. It may be taken, therefore, that the policy laid down years ago is to be applied in the practical way without delay, and that the appropriation of \$500,000, voted by Parliament for expenditure during the current fiscal year, will be increased when the House meets next spring. General gratification will be felt throughout the community, and it will be a fortunate circumstance if Dr. Tolmie's endorsement as a member of the Cabinet synchronizes with commencement of the actual work at Lang Cove. The new Minister and his colleague, the member for Nanaimo, are entitled to commendation for the energy they have displayed in convincing the Government that its obligations are overdue in respect of the drydock.

The announcement that dredging operations will be resumed in Victoria harbor at an early date also is encouraging, while it is satisfactory to note that the new Minister of Public Works apparently has been persuaded by Dr. Tolmie to reverse the policy laid down a few months ago by the Hon. F. B. Carvell. It will be remembered that the former Minister relied in his attitude upon a departmental report which virtually reversed the opinions of the Victoria Inner Harbor Association, an active local body completely conversant with conditions. On that advice Mr. Carvell departed from the policy of years in respect of dredging the Inner Harbor. Dr. Tolmie's announcement, therefore, should restore a necessary annual vote for this purpose.

A PRACTICAL PROPOSAL.

In advocating a permanent central trades union committee empowered to deal with the Government in all negotiations, Mr. Gosling, who was chairman of the mediation committee in the railway strike, is on safe ground. The work of the committee and its conferences with the representatives of the Government is a striking commentary upon the efficacy of this form of conciliatory enterprise. It goes without saying, moreover, that if the workers themselves had failed to set up a body of this character, almost as soon as the railmen had given effect to their threat, no influence would have restrained the other two members of the Triple Alliance from throwing in their weight on the side of the National Union of Railwaymen. It is expected, therefore, that Mr. Gosling's proposal—particularly on account of his important position in the Transport Workers' Federation—will meet with approval among trade unionists throughout Great Britain. It should benefit both employer and employee and be of material assistance to the Government.

MORE GERMAN HUMOR.

As a general rule the Teuton lacks a sense of humor. There were scarcely two opinions on the point before the war. Much can be accomplished in five years, however, and it looks as if the former opinion of the German and his natural stodginess must undergo a slight revision. The reason for this is suggested by an extract from a London journal which goes to show that the German merchant is just as clever at eliminating the memory of the last five years as he was capable of worming his way into the markets of the world before the ex-Kaiser fell prey to his final hallucination. Here is the tit-bit of humor: A firm of Leipzig publishers sent its catalogue to a London house giving copious and illustrated details of all publications issued by the Teuton establishment since the commencement of the war. There is nothing, of course, particularly original about it; but the Germans' humorous candor is disclosed by the announcement that the catalogue was accompanied by an invoice for Mk. 1—twenty-five cents—the price of the catalogue. We hope the London house was not "had."

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To the Editor:—It has been rumored from time to time that Mr. Ravenhill, chairman of the Victoria branch of the Navy League and Lieut. W. M. Hotham, commanding the Boys' Naval Brigade, receive certain emoluments for their work. As treasurer of the Victoria branch of the Navy League, I wish emphatically to state that no monies have been paid either of these gentlemen out of the funds of the Navy League for their services. Mr. Ravenhill devotes practically all his time to this work, and he is a hard worker; and Mr. Hotham a great part of his time, and he is a busy man, to the training of the Boys' Naval Brigade. It is, therefore, only fair to these gentlemen to deny absolutely that they receive directly or indirectly, any salary for their services.

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**SPPEAKS OF HOSPITAL
WORK IN PROVINCE**

Dr. M. MacEachern Addresses
Municipal Convention in
North Vancouver

North Vancouver, Oct. 8.—Before the convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities this morning Dr. Malcolm MacEachern discussed hospital matters. He said in part:

"In addressing the Union of British Columbia Municipalities I fully realize that I am speaking to the people of this province through their representatives, and that by virtue of the office which you hold your electorate have confidence in you that you will conserve the best interests of your community. I am speaking to you in a representative capacity, as president of the British Columbia Hospital Association, one of the youngest but most active associations of our province. Though only two years old, the Association has held two wonderful conventions, each lasting three days, at which much was accomplished for the betterment of our hospitals of this province.

The Objects.

"This Association has for its objects:

- (a) To serve a means of intercommunication and co-operation between the hospitals in British Columbia.
- (b) To establish, maintain and improve standards of hospital work.
- (c) To promote the efficiency of all hospitals in the province.
- (d) To stimulate intensive and extensive hospital development.
- (e) To make all hospitals of more community service.

Best Interests.

"You will see, therefore, that we are prompted to administer hospitals with the best community interests at heart. Our work as hospital administrators stands for the cure and prevention of disease—the highest service which we can render to our fellow-citizens.

"Through our efforts we must exercise various functions which indicate a much widened scope of hospital work.

"Right here I want to emphasize the point that you, as municipal government bodies, are all-powerful because, after all, each State or Provincial Government is nothing more than the people's voice, and you represent the people's voice.

"Health Problems.
"The Province of British Columbia is confronted with a number of health problems. We have referred to the inadequacy of our institutions to look after infectious diseases. I think I am safe in saying that there is not a proper hospital for infectious diseases in this Province, outside possibly of a smallpox hospital in the City of Vancouver. The accommodation for infectious diseases is painfully inadequate and inefficient, and many municipalities have no provision whatsoever.

Incurables.

"Another problem which we must face soon is the question of taking care of the incurable patient. You will all agree that this is a state or provincial duty, and we have impressed the Provincial Government with this fact for many years, but still the general hospitals of this Province are looking after the unfortunate incurables. The Vancouver General Hospital, of which I am superintendent, carries about 120 at present. Other hospitals in the Province, particularly in Victoria and New Westminster, have these cases also.

"The western provinces are taking up hospital work vigorously, and will form similar associations to our own.

Well Known.

"Your Province is known beyond the confines of this Dominion from a hospital standpoint. The hospital of yesterday will not suit the needs to-day and that of to-day will not suit the needs of tomorrow. There are, therefore, three distinct hospital types which are alone in their turn—the hospital of the past, the hospital of the present day and the hospital of the future. We are through with the past, and the boarding-house type of the past must be supplied by the real genuine institution with high ideals of the present day. We cannot have this institution without your support, your co-operation in every possible way.

Recommendations.

"In conclusion I would like to sum up my remarks in a series of recommendations:

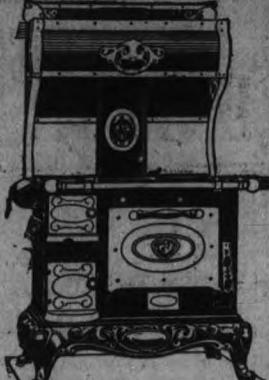
"Firstly, that the Union of British Columbia Municipalities get more closely in touch with the hospital and health activities of our province, and realize their all importance.

"Secondly, that the Union of British Columbia Municipalities take up the question of more financial support of our institutions, either through increased municipal grants or increased provincial grants or increased provincial per capita; third, complete state aid through direct taxation; fourth, extension of the worker's compensation principle of health insurance to all people; fifth, the making of each municipality responsible for its own sick.

Co-operation.

"Thirdly, that the Union of British Columbia Municipalities endorse the principle of the co-operative hospital system for municipalities in the care and control of infectious diseases.

"Fourthly, that the Union of British Columbia Municipalities take steps to induce the Provincial Government to establish a proper home for incurables of the province."



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The denominations offered are \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000 and \$5,000.

The issue price is to be 100 and accrued interest. Payments may be made in full at the time of application; twenty per cent. December 9, 1919; twenty per cent. January 9, 1920; twenty per cent. February 10, 1920; thirty-one per cent. March 9, 1920.

The last payment of 31.21 per cent covers thirty per cent balance of principal and 1.21 per cent representing accrued interest at the rate of 5½ per cent from November 1, 1919, to due date of the respective installments. A full half year's interest will be paid on May 1, 1920, making the cost of the bonds 100 and interest.

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**FISHERIES INQUIRY
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Evidence Concluded at Duncan; Next Sitting Will Be at Nanaimo

Chief Scholten, of the Quamichans, proved an interesting witness at the fisheries inquiry yesterday. He tells his people always to be good, he said, to obey the laws and get along with the white people.

Bill Goloslock, of the Quamichans, said he wanted to be as brothers with the white people. His chief had spoken truly of the needs of his people, and they wanted the white people to see that the Indians had their food. He pointed to the large gathering of Indians present who wanted the people to see that they got fish and were allowed to sell them, as the money was spent in Duncan stores. It was not breaking the law to do this. He wanted the Government to be good to the Indians as the Indians were good and loyal people.

He thanked the commission, and was grateful for the inquiry, and he hoped that good would come of it for the Indians.

J. H. Costley, of the Cowichan Lake Hatchery, was Mr. Cowan's first witness. He said in 1914 there was a good run of spring and cohoes. In 1915, poor; in 1916, poor; 1917, poor; 1918, good, and about equal to 1914.

Conservation of Fish.

Reasonable fishing and elimination of obstructions in the rivers, with the aid of the artificial hatchery should serve to maintain the supply of fish. Witness gave the figures showing that the output of the hatchery were as follows: 2,573,500 for 1918, fish of all classes and 3,223,900 for 1919. The average egg supply was about 3,000 to one spring salmon, 2,000 to coho and very small production from steelhead.

Witness considered improvement of Skutz Falls would remove detriment to fish propagation. He said seventy-five per cent. more male fish reached the spawning grounds as female fish with its burden of eggs was much heavier and could not jump the falls.

Col. J. H. Cunningham quoted figures to show that outside fishing had not depleted the supply. Fish do not school until they get inside the boundary line of the bay reserves. If licenses were granted where salmon school the catches would be much larger, and the further out netting is done the better for the keeping up of the supply.

Mr. Cowan pointed out that this further removed the insinuation that there was anything wrong about moving the Cowichan Bay boundary post further out.

No Serious Depletion.

Witness did not agree that the depletion was as serious as some of the previous witnesses would make it appear. Col. Cunningham disagreed with Mr. Babcock's opinion and drew a distinction between the opinion of a man who was not responsible for fishery administration and one who was.

He asked what would become of all the investment in canneries if the seining were disallowed.

Would you sacrifice the food supply to the interests of these canners? asked Mr. Elliott.

Witness said that if laws were observed there would be no serious depletion. The war had made a great demand for fish and fishing had been carried on intensively. He did not look for such a great demand for Fall fish from now on. More guardians have been appointed and the waters will be better patrolled.

He denied that many of the licenses granted for outside waters of Cowichan Bay were issued on the assumption that they would cover mostly the catching of chum salmon. Witness did not see how anyone having any understanding of the fisheries could get such an idea. There was never at any time any instructions or correspondence limiting the Lummi Bay Co. to the taking of chum fish or any other other grade.

E. G. Taylor, Fisheries Officer, Nanaimo, denied that the boundary mark at Cowichan Head had been moved twice. It was moved once under departmental instructions. He had not induced the Indians to disobey the laws nor did he block prosecutions against offenders.

"It is pretty well established that you did not, when they bring no witnesses to substantiate it," said Mr. Cowan. Witness said that in connection with a story circulated to the effect that a prosecution had been withdrawn, the offence had been fully investigated by himself, together with the Government and Indian Agents, and there was no clue to the culprit.

Witness said that Cathcart, the man complained of as having been made an inspector at Nitinat, had been recommended by him and appointed by Ottawa. The charge of aiding, abetting and encouraging violations of the regulations brought against Mr. Taylor should be withdrawn by Mr. Elliott. Mr. Cowan suggested, as there was no evidence to support any of the charges. Mr. Elliott ignored the suggestion and witness emphatically denied the accusations.

Followed Instructions.

Robert Colvin, fisheries officer, testified that he had always followed departmental instructions. In answer to Mr. Cowan he told of destroying three illegal nets in Cowichan Bay and he said that prosecutions were brought in every case where warranted.

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN



SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Doris Wilson has gone over to Vancouver for a few days on a visit to Miss Helen Law, Burnaby Street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Shallcross arrived in the city this morning from Vancouver to attend the wedding of Col. Humble and Miss Vera Mason.

Miss Eva Loewen has returned to her home in Vancouver after being the guest of the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard for the past few weeks.

At Breadalbane, 1185 Fort Street, on Saturday evening, the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Robt. Cunningham and Mrs. Nettie Caldonia Gosnell, both of this city. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Goldstraw. After a trip around the Sound cities Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham will make their home at Westholme.

The marriage of Harold Miles, of Vancouver, and Miss Helen Skeffington, took place in St. John's Church on Monday, October 6, at one o'clock. The bride was given away by Mr. Halford and Mr. F. H. Lynn acted as best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick in the presence of a few close friends of the bride and groom.

A. H. Finlayson, a native son of Victoria, and former champion lacrosse and basketball player, sculler and all-round athlete of that city, and for several years a member of the Dawson customs staff, and Marion Granger, long-time resident here and of Dominion Creek, surprised their friends when they were quietly married last week at Eagle, Alaska, where practically everyone afterwards attended the reception in their honor. They will make their home in Dawson.

Mrs. Richdale, who succeeds Mrs. A. E. Hodgins as president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans of Canada, is well-known as a philanthropic worker in the city, having been associated with various benevolent lodges here for the past twenty years. She has the distinction of having been the founder of the Order of the Eastern Star in this city. During the past year, Mrs. Richdale held the office of treasurer in the Auxiliary and also acted efficiently as convenor of the social committee.

At Christ Church Cathedral on Monday the marriage was quietly solemnized by Dean Quainton of Kathleen Norah, second daughter of Robert Grubb, of this city, to Angus Graeme Mercer, late lieutenant 29th Battalion, C. E. F. The harvest festival decorations furnished a pretty setting for the ceremony. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked radiant in a bridal dress of white crepe de chine and satin trimmed with silver, her veil of misty tulle being held in place with a wreath of orange blossom. Miss Aileen Grubb, sister of the bride, made a charmingly pretty bridesmaid in a frock of pale pink crepe de chine and black picture hat. Both bride and bridesmaid carried shower bouquets of pale pink roses and carnations. The best man was Lieut. D. Hoyle, of the 5th Regiment, C. G. A., a brother-in-law of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Mercer, who were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, left by the night boat for Vancouver, where they will make their home.

CHAPTER RAISES
"TALENT MONEY"

The monthly meeting of the Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, I. O. D. E. was held last evening at the Regent, Mrs. L. H. Hardie presiding. The treasurer reported that ten members had handed in their talent money, making a total of \$148.55 derived from this source. The chapter is making a monthly donation to the Protestant Orphanage and Traveler's Aid.

The book presented to the Y. W. C. A. library for last month was "Mother Carey's Chickens," by Kate Douglas Wiggin.

A standing vote of sympathy to the relatives of the late Miss Cotterill was passed.

A letter was received from the Campbell Patriotic Club, heartily endorsing the resolution passed by the chapter regarding the furnishing of room in the Victoria Hospital in memory of Nursing Sister Christina Campbell. A committee consisting of Mrs. MacFarlane, Mrs. David Miller, Mrs. W. G. Cameron and Mrs. Colman were appointed to have charge of this work. Mrs. Wood was appointed to represent the chapter at the meeting of the Provincial Chapter to be held in Vancouver.

A report of the Municipal Chapter

HUGE AUDIENCE AT RECITAL LAST NIGHT

Miss Ida Gardner and Harold Lyman With Edison Re-creations

It is not at all improbable that many of those who attended the recital at the Empress Hotel last evening, given by Miss Ida Gardner, contralto, and Harold Lyman, flutist, both of New York, went with some idea of scepticism, knowing that these artists were to be heard in conjunction with a phonograph, but it was quite evident, before the programme had gone very far, that the audience were perfectly convinced that an Edison phonograph re-creates so faithfully that the re-creation could not be distinguished from the original.

Mr. Lyman in a few introductory remarks stated that the instrument which was used had been kindly loaned for the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Carlow, of the Fawcett Apartments.

Miss Gardner is a great favorite with Edison owners, and her rich contralto voice was heard singing with the phonograph, and was proof that the living voice and the Edison were one and the same.

She would sing with the re-creation of her voice, and then suddenly pause and from the throat of the phonograph would come forth an exact reproduction of the voice of the singer, so that the audience was baffled in its attempt to realize which was which, but it gave them the opportunity to compare one with the other, and to acknowledge that no differences could be discerned.

It is a wonderful thing to have so conclusively proved to a musical public the remarkable achievements which have been accomplished by Mr. Edison, and proving to what a marvellous state of perfection he has brought his favorite invention.

Miss Gardner's rich contralto voice was immensely enjoyed as was evident from the hearty and prolonged applause which greeted her every number on the varied programme, and she was particularly pleasing in such well-known favorites as "Bendemeer's Stream," "There's a Long, Long Trail," "Mighty Lak a Rose" and "I Know Where I'm Goin."

The flute, an instrument seldom heard in solo, and yet so close in quality of tone to the human voice, was handled in an artistic and proficient manner by Mr. Lyman, his playing of his own re-creations being greatly appreciated, and the tonal qualities of his instrument were faithfully reproduced on the phonograph.

The Barcarolle from "The Tales of Hoffman" was a most enjoyable number, those taking part being Miss Gardner, Mr. Lyman and the New Edison, and this number was vociferously applauded.

A re-creation of Anna Case's voice singing "Charmant Olseaux" from the Pearl of Brazil, the flute obligato, so delightful and effective in this song, being given by Mr. Lyman, was an extremely choice selection.

Several numbers were given by the Edison alone, and at once gained the rapt attention of the large audience, who listened with pleasure and delight.

Mr. Herbert Kent is deserving of the thanks of the public for his efforts in placing before the people of Victoria such unique, instructive and entertaining recitals, this being the fourth of a series which have been held in one of the private dining-rooms the tea-tables being graced with Michaelmas daisies, dahlias and chrysanthemums. Those present were Mrs. R. R. Nash, president; Mrs. Gideon Hicks and Mrs. Duncan Campbell, vice-presidents; Mrs. Arthur Walsh, secretary, and the following members of the executive: Mrs. E. M. Love, Mrs. Hamlet, Mrs. A. E. Hodgins, Miss Harris, Mrs. Beiby, Mrs. R. Baird, Mrs. Umbra, Mrs. B. D. McCorman and Miss Russell.

In making the presentation to the surprised recipients, Mrs. Nash voiced the Club's thanks for the invaluable assistance rendered by the artists and wished them every success in the larger world of music which they are both about to enter.

MACLEAN'S FOR OCTOBER.

The Canadian West is featured in several of the articles and stories which appear in the October issue of MacLean's Magazine. These articles are devoted to western problems, and the most stimulating being one titled: "The Menace of the Aliens." In this, the writer, who has recently completed a trip through certain parts of the West, discusses our alien problem with virility and frankness and draws the reader's attention to the dangers which may arise if Canada continues to welcome fifty-seven varieties of foreigners to these shores.

"Those Pesky Farmers Out West," is the title which will attract. Underneath this title is a story by Hopkins Moorehouse, well-known as the author of "Deep Furrows." "Fifty Years Out West" is the story of James Ashdown's career, told by Prof. W. T. Allison.

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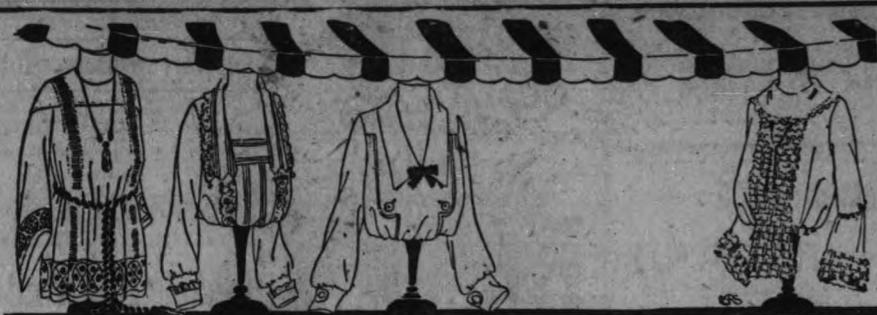
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Longshoreman Injured.—Frederick Sullivan, a longshoreman engaged in loading lumber on the 1,500-ton French steamship C-54 in the Outer Harbor, had his left foot and ankle badly crushed yesterday afternoon. The injured man was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital in the patrol and attended by Dr. McJunking.



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All interested in the Gypsy Smith Mission are asked to attend a united meeting to be held in

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, THURSDAY, OCT. 9, 8 P.M.

Dr. Robinson, of the Evangelistic Party, will address the meeting.

PROPOSAL TO FASTEN SPEED AUTO TRAVELS

Hon. Dr. King Gets Suggestion as Accident Preventive

Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, has received from one of his district foremen a suggestion for recording in a permanent fashion the rate of speed travelled by automobiles. The proposal is intended to create proof of speeding with a view to its introduction as evidence in case of accidents by collision or from causes in which excess speed is usually the chief contributor.

It is presumed that the speedometer people could be induced to manufacture such an instrument with a dial capable of recording 500 or 1,000 miles without renewal, the suggestion being that the dials be installed by the officers of the Provincial Police or revenue men appointed by the Department of Public Works, such official to seal the dial and affix it in its proper place. The proposal, however, is a tentative one and will be taken under advisement by the Minister on his return from the Mainland.

Recording measures, of course, are used in mines for the purpose of ascertaining the presence of gas, air pressure and so on. Speed gauges also are used extensively in the deep mines of South Africa where hoisting engines are employed in large numbers. Introduction of the system

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Frank Barnard arose and proposed the health of Sir Arthur.

The General replied and gave reminiscences of his experiences at the front.

This afternoon the officers and members of the Pacific Club held a reception and presentation to the General, who is one of the oldest members of the Pacific Club.

Fined—E. Richards was fined \$5.00 in the police court this morning for driving a motorcycle with the cut-off open.

PRESENTATION MADE BY PACIFIC CLUB TO GENERAL CURRIE

General Sir Arthur Currie was to-day presented by the members of the Pacific Club with a bear skin rug. The presentation took place after luncheon and was made by Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance. In reply Sir Arthur Currie made a few appreciative remarks for the splendid gift by the members of the club, and also briefly spoke of the work of the Canadian corps in the field.

He paid high tribute to the various departments of the Canadian army of which he had the honor to command, and appealed to the business men of the city to give the utmost consideration to the returned soldiers who had fully justified the confidence placed in them. The proceedings were presided over by George Tripp.

Mr. Worsfold said that it has not yet been decided which site will be chosen, although much attention in the way of investigation is being paid to Skinner's Cove.

He announced that a choice would be made before very long and then it would be possible to start actual construction.

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MINISTER VISITS DRYDOCK WORK

Borings at Skinner's Cove More Than Half Finished; Experts Consider Sites

Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, who arrived in Victoria from Ottawa late yesterday afternoon, took up matters in connection with the speedy construction of the 1,100-foot drydock at Esquimalt first thing to-day.

Accompanied by Reeve Coles of Esquimalt, Alderman Sangster, and Joshua Kingham, J. L. Beckwith, G. A. Kirk, Goulding Wilson and Fred Elworthy of the Board of Trade, the Minister spent the morning going over the three sites that are under consideration for the dock. C. C. Worsfold, chief engineer of the Federal Works Department, accompanied the party on their trip, which was made in a launch, and explained technical details in connection with the location.

The party paid particular attention to the boring operations being conducted by a large gang of men in Skinner's Cove. This gang has been

quietly working on these borings for some time to make sure that if this site is finally chosen it will be most suitable. The Minister learned that the borings at Skinner's Cove are already more than half finished.

Hon. Dr. Tolmie announced after he had inspected the work, that it

was being pushed as rapidly as such

exacting operations can be, and that

it would not be long now before the

Government would have all the data

on which to call for tenders for the

actual construction of the dock.

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The following were from various parts of the Province: Donald Hector Mackay, William Cabel Parker, Thomas Edward Lawrence, Alexander Ogston, Franklin Kay Collins, Farnik Drew Pratt, Frederic Fraser, Warwick Addison Woodward, Geoffrey Thomas Spencer Saundby, Cedric Boileau Reid, John Howard Godfrey, Thomas Weeks, Donald Gordon Marshall, Farold Brown, Ernest Allan Boyle, James Leslie Goddard, Wratman Sheridan Turner, James Enos Brett, James Livingston Watson and Thomas John Morgan.

PRINCESS

That great laugh producer, "The New Boy," in which Mr. Weldon Grossman for a long period appeared so successfully, will be produced by R. N. Hincks, in a comedy sketch by the band of players on Friday evening at the above theatre. One of the newest plays ever written, it will appeal greatly to the large number of patrons who failed to witness this excellent performance when it was previously produced. At that time Mr. Hincks and his associates had not secured the patronage of the public that is at present enjoyed by them and large and capacity houses are sure to witness one of the most enjoyable entertainments that has ever been prepared for their amusement. The box office is now open.

Dance. — Foundation Club House, Wednesday evening, 9-1. Ozard's 5-piece orchestra. Admission 50¢.

Cordova Bay Tea Rooms—Warm and cosy; refreshments at all hours, day and evenings; a delightful and pleasant drive.

Ladies' Auxiliary to Army and Navy Veterans of Canada will hold the first of a series of dances in Alexandra Club, Wednesday, October 8, at 9-2 to 7th. Send for particulars Sprott-Shaw Business Institute, Pemberton Building. Phone 28.

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Metropolitan Schoolroom. — Something novel, an "Indoor" garden party given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, Tuesday afternoon and evening. Afternoon tea will be served, various booths and other attractions; programme during the evening. Admission 10 cents. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone as this takes the place of our annual fall rally.

After the ceremony the bridal party and guests repaired to Government House, where a reception was held. The Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard assisted in receiving the guests who attended to voice their felicitations to Col. and Mrs. Humble.

Elks' Smoking Concert — All arrangements are about complete for the grand smoking concert to be held in the Elks' club rooms, Campbell Building, to-morrow night.

Please get your plants in now. Earthen flower pots, 3 in. to 12 in., 10c to 75c; fancy jardinières, 25c to \$5. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

British-Israel—Rev. W. P. Goard,

of Vancouver, will lecture this evening on "Britain's Mission Among the Nations." If we be not Israel of the Ten Tribed Kingdom, to whom the Lord turned when rejected by the House of Judah, how is it that all the Prophets concerning the Kingdom of Israel are fulfilled in the Anglo-Saxon Nations? Make a point of hearing these lectures each night this week in Church of Our Lord Schoolroom, Humboldt and Blanshard Streets. 8 p.m. Admission free.

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FIRE PREVENTION DAY ON OCTOBER 9

Governor-General Issues Proclamation Relating to Serious Problem

By Royal proclamation His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada has designated October 9 as "Fire Prevention Day," in an effort to educate Canadians in caution where fire is concerned.

A communication on this subject received at the City Hall to-day from the Dominion Fire Commissioners reads as follows:

Fire Prevention.

"On Fire Prevention Day lessons on fire prevention subjects will be given in every public school, public meetings will be held in many of the larger cities, towns and villages, and the owners and occupants of property everywhere throughout Canada will be encouraged to give special attention to the removal of fire hazards from their premises."

"Fire waste is one of the most serious economic problems confronting Canada at the present time. The public in general is vitally affected by the tremendous losses annually incurred by fire and the enormous expenditures rendered necessary to adequately protect life and property from its ravages. Seeing that at least seventy-five per cent of all fires are caused by carelessness and can therefore be prevented, it is the obvious duty of municipal authorities, fire departments, charitable organizations and other representative citizen bodies to bring the matter to the attention of the people. In order that this may be effectively accomplished, this department most respectfully asks for your co-operation. Can we have it?"

"Enclosed herewith are copies of the Royal proclamation, the provisions of the criminal code as affecting fires, and a suggested programme for use in public schools. You will note that the criminal code defines negligence as contravention of any law or ordinance established to prevent fires. The duty of municipal authorities to bring to the attention of their citizens the importance of fire safety is evident. Might we suggest that you emphasize this point, by recommending that your local authorities give adequate publicity through the newspapers to all such laws, in order that the public may be properly informed. Other topics of interest along similar lines will, no doubt, suggest themselves."

Criminal Code.

The provisions of the criminal code relating to fire prevention are as follows:

"Every one is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to two years' imprisonment who by negligence causes any fire which occasions loss of life or loss of property."

"The person owning, occupying or controlling the premises in which such fire occurs, or on which such fire originates, shall be deemed to have caused the fire through negligence if such person has failed to obey the requirements of any law intended to prevent fires or which requires apparatus for the extinguishment of fires or to facilitate the escape of persons in the event of fire, if the jury finds that such fire, or the loss of life, or the whole or any substantial portion of the loss of property, would not have occurred if such law had been complied with."

"When any Dominion, Provincial or Municipal fire officer or authority recommends to the owner, lessee or other person controlling or operating any building, structure, factory, shipyard, vessel, dock, wharf, pier, sawmill, or yard in which logs or lumber are stored or held, that any reasonable change, alteration or addition should be made in or to such building, structure, factory, shipyard, vessel, dock, wharf, pier, sawmill, or yard with a view to safeguarding life or property from destruction by fire, or that any material should be removed therefrom with such view, or that any apparatus should be supplied therefor with such view, and if such recommendation is approved by an officer in the service of His Majesty, thereto, authorized by the Governor-in-Council, and if notice of such recommendation and approval has been personally served upon such owner, lessee or other person refuses, neglects or otherwise fails to carry out such recommendation to the satisfaction of the officer in the service of His Majesty hereinbefore mentioned, such owner, lessee or other person shall be guilty of an indictable offence and shall be liable to a fine of not exceeding one thousand dollars, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months, or to both such fine and imprisonment."

FUSILIERS ORGANIZE

Lieut.-Colonel John Hall was last night elected president of the recently organized 88th Fusiliers Association. At the same time the Association voted congratulations to General Sir Arthur Currie on his safe return to his home city after five years overseas.

Other officers elected were: First vice-president, Lieut.-Colonel L. H. Major; second vice-president, Lieut. J. J. Shallock; secretary-treasurer, Captain H. L. Roberts; executive committee, Frank Giolma, M.P.P.; L. H. Young, Captain H. D. Twigg and A. Colton; membership committee, Sergt. T. Rooney and T. A. Gibb.

The executive is to arrange a smoking concert soon.

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JIM was a lineman before the war. It was difficult to find a uniform broad enough across the shoulders for him when he "joined up" in 1914.

Jim found army discipline hard at first, but picked up the "war business" very quickly. He was one of the first of the "trench raiders," a Canadian contribution to the art of warfare. Jim seemed to bear a charmed life. Time after time in the dead of night Jim jumped into a German trench, spreading fear and disaster, and returned safe and sound.

But one fell night his luck gave out. He stepped into a stream of machine gun bullets. When consciousness came to him again, far in the rear of our lines, he was horrified to find his right leg missing.

During the ensuing months Jim's progress was — Clearing Station, — Boulogne, — "Blighty" and Home—Canada!

The shock of the operation left Jim pretty weak for a time. He was content to sit idly in a chair in the sun. But this grew tiresome after a bit. When he began to think about getting back to work he realized that a lineman with an artificial leg was rather impractical. That was his trade. He had spent years at it. And now he was barred from following it.

At this critical juncture, the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment came forward and with knowledge and experience pointed the way out.

After long and earnest discussion, it was mutually decided that the nearest thing to his old trade was that of a telegrapher despatcher. If Jim couldn't any more string wires on the poles he could learn to send

the messages over the wires that the other fellow put up. So under the direction of the D.S.C.R. telegraph instructor Jim studied and perfected himself as an operator. This accomplished, the D.S.C.R. quickly found him a position.

Jim is all right now. He's contented as only a man who works can be contented. He is earning more money than before. His enthusiasm is high for the D.S.C.R., which gave him the training whereby he is again an independent and prosperous citizen. After all, it was for Canada that Jim fought and suffered — and Canada is only too eager to repay Jim and every man impaired in body or health through service to his country.

The records of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment contain endless details in the matter of re-training ex-soldiers—a disabled farm laborer is now a machinist; a carpenter who lost four fingers on his right hand is now a draughtsman at a good salary; a former plasterer is now a printer. So it goes—a long and interesting record of men deprived of limbs or impaired in health—equipped with training and knowledge, now following new and suitable trades.

This great nation-wide organization of the D.S.C.R. requires a considerable expenditure. To meet its expenses a part of the Victory Loan 1919 is to be used. But its maintenance, until every disabled ex-soldier is fitted with a vocation enabling him to earn for himself an adequate and independent living, is one of the most sacred obligations that Canada has to discharge. Support to the limit of your ability—the

Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment

Brief summary of the work to August 31st, 1919.

VOCATIONAL

Total number of retraining courses undertaken	17,449
Variety of occupations taught	280
Total number of men now in training	11,494
Total number of graduates	5,955
Percentage of re-trained men placed in civil occupations	90.20%
Sick	3.23%
Diseased83%
Unemployed	5.74%
	100.00%

MEDICAL

Number of amputation cases fitted with free artificial limbs	3,744
Pairs of orthopedic boots supplied free	2,941
Number of amputation and orthopedic cases given free service	14,148
" " " " " restored to gainful work	3,909
Average number of men receiving free medical attention per week	2,932

INFORMATION AND SERVICE

Total number of applications for employment	68,673
" " " placed in employment	61,278
" " " enquiries answered re soldiers' benefits	245,103

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PRIZE WINNERS SAANICH FALL FAIR ANNOUNCED

Sir Arthur Currie Formally Opened Fair Yesterday Afternoon

Prize Winners. Yesterday judging was completed in a number of sections, in which the prize winners were as follows:

Garden Produce for Table.

Special potatoes—Given by South Saanich Farmers' Institute for an exhibit of 25 pounds potatoes of one variety—1, H. E. Hallwright.

Early potatoes, white, 25 lbs., named—1, Edwin Taylor; 2, H. A. King.

Late potatoes, white, 25 lbs., named—1, P. T. Lemon; 2, W. D. Mitchell.

Early potatoes, red, 25 lbs., named—1, W. D. Mitchell; 2, P. T. Lemon.

Carrots, short horn, six—1, H. A. King; 2, P. T. Lemon.

Carrots, intermediate, six—1, J. Durrance; 2, W. D. Mitchell.

Sugar beets, six—1, W. D. Mitchell; 2, P. T. Lemon.

Collection of vegetables—"Dr. J. W. Tolmie cup" for annual competition, winner to hold cup until following exhibition; presented by J. W. Tolmie—silver cup and \$5 won by J. W. Martindale, 1917; by W. Mitchell, 1918—J. W. Martindale.

Dairy Produce and Household Arts, etc.

Special—Given by South Saanich Farmers' Institute—2 lbs. fresh butter—1, Mrs. Morris.

Bread, white—1, Mrs. A. McKenzie; 2, Mrs. Bruce Butler.

Bread, best loaf made from Graham flour—1, Mrs. Bruce Butler; 2, Mrs. L. Hafer.

Bread, whole wheat—1, Mrs. Bruce Butler; 2, Mrs. A. McKenzie.

Bread, corn—1, Mrs. J. McLean.

Red cabbage, two—1, Mrs. J. T. Reid; 2, J. Watt & Sons.

Savoy cabbage, two—1, J. W. Martindale.

Cauliflower, two—1, J. Watt & Sons; 2, A. Wright.

Onions, white, six—1, J. W. Martindale.

Onions, yellow, six—1, J. W. Martindale; 2, Mrs. J. T. Reid.

Onions, red or brown, six—1, J. H. Barker; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Shallots, twelve—1, J. H. Barker; 2, J. Durrance.

Sweet corn, six ears—1, F. Turgoose; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Beets, long, six—2, J. W. Martindale.

His First Dollar.

After inspecting the exhibition in company with President Streetfield and Secretary Colin A. Chisholm, General Currie formally opened the fair. In his brief address he cited his pleasure at being again in Saanich, of which he had pleasant memories as being the place in which he earned his first dollars after coming west twenty-five years ago. After graduating from the Society upon the quality of the exhibits, the General referred in eulogistic terms to the work of the army of producers at home without whom the army in the field would have been powerless, paying special tribute to the women.

Speaking of the closing days of the war, he said that those at home had wondered why the armistice came when it did, at a time when the enemy was making disaster and when a decisive victory for the Allies

Many cannot drink coffee within four hours of bed-time and get their natural sleep. But bear this in mind, when a cheery evening table drink is wanted—

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dale.
Musks, globe, six—1, J. W. Martindale; 2, P. T. Lemon.
Celery, two bunches—1, W. S. Butler.
Squash, hubbard, two—1, J. W. Martindale; 2, W. T. Butler.
Vegetable marrow, green, two—1, W. S. Butler; 2, J. W. Martindale.
Vegetable marrow, white or yellow, two—1, W. S. Butler; 2, J. M. Malcolm.
Muskmelon—1, Alec. McDonald; 2, J. M. Malcolm.
Squash, any other variety—1, W. B. S. Polson; 2, J. W. Martindale.
Pumpkin, two—1, F. Wood; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Cucumbers, two, grown in open air—1, F. Wood; 2, J. W. Martindale.
Citrons, two—1, W. B. S. Polson; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Raisins, two heads—1, T. Muirhead, Leeks, six—1, T. Muirhead.
Tomatoes, six, grown under glass—1, F. Wood.

Tomatoes, six, grown in open air—1, F. Wood; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Spices—Given by South Saanich Farmers' Institute, best collection

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Grains, Grasses, Seeds, etc.

Special—Given by South Saanich Farmers' Institute, best collection of grain seeds, not less than 10 lbs.—1, W. D. Mitchell.

Hay, mixed bale—1, W. D. Mitchell.

Field Roots for Stock.

Turnips, white, six—1, P. T. Lemon.
Mangolds, long red, six—1, H. A. King.

Mangolds, yellow intermediate, six—1, H. A. King.

Mangolds, globe, six—1, W. D. Mitchell; 2, J. M. Malcolm.

Pumpkins, two heaviest—W. S. Butler; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Squash, two heaviest—1, W. S. Butler; 2, J. W. Martindale.

Carrots, long white, six—1, Mrs. J. T. Reid; 2, H. A. King.

Carrots, short red, six—1, J. M. Malcolm; 2, W. D. Mitchell.

Carrots, intermediate white, six—1, J. W. Martindale; 2, H. A. King.

Kohlrabi, six—1, J. W. Martindale; 2, A. Wright.

Sugar beets, six—1, W. D. Mitchell; 2, P. T. Lemon.

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Honey in Jars—1, Mrs. L. Hafer; 2, Mrs. J. G. McKay.

Honey in comb—2, Mrs. J. G. McKay.

Fruits.

Apples—Fall Varieties.

Five Duchess of Oldenburg—1, H. A. King.

Five Gravenstein—1, Tanner Bros.

Five Alexander—1, J. H. Barker; 2, Tanner Bros.

Five Wealthy—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, J. Watt & Son.

Five Lord Suffield—1, K. R. Shewfield.

Five Cellini pippin—1, K. R. Shewfield.

Five any other fall variety—No award.

Apples—Winter Varieties.

Five Lemon Pippin—1, F. Turgoose; 2, P. T. Lemon.

Five King of Tompkins County—1, Crease Bros.; 2, Tanner Bros.

Five Yellow Bellflower—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, M. Lawrie.

Five Baldwin—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, J. Durrance.

Five Northern Spies—1, F. Turgoose; 2, Tanner Bros.

Five Golden Russet—No award.

Five Belle de Boscoop—1, Tanner Bros.

Five Best Davis—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, J. Durrance.

Five Canada Reine—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, R. E. Nimmo.

Five Jonathan—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, J. M. Hedley.

Five Ribston Pippin—1, Tanner Bros.

Five Red Cheek Pippin—1, F. Turgoose.

Five Rhode Island Greening—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, H. A. King.

Five Gano—1, M. Macdowell; 2, Tanner Bros.

Five Grimes Golden—1, Tanner Bros.; 2, H. A. King.

Five Newton Pippin—1, F. Turgoose.

Five Cox's Orange Pippin—1, C. Moss; 2, J. M. Hedley.

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Twelve Pommery—1, Mrs. L. Hafer.

Twelve Pond's Seedling—1, J. Dur-
rance; 2, Mrs. L. Hafer.

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Six Clubs Expected to Bid for Place in Senior Rugby League

Cyril Williams, English international full-back will appear on the line-up of the Wanderers fifteen in the City Rugby League competition this year. Williams last appeared in Victoria in 1912, when he wore the Wanderers uniform and then left the city for New York. Since then he enlisted with the Canadian forces and served overseas, but has come back in fine shape to show his old-time ability at the oval ball game.

At the meeting of the Rugby Union to be held at the James Bay Club tomorrow night, it is expected that six or seven clubs will make a bid for the senior league although the opinion has been expressed that four good clubs would provide the best series this year. Delegates of all the clubs are expected to the meeting to-morrow. The Wanderers, James Bay, the V. I. A. A., the Foundation, G. W. V. A. and the Aerial League have all been mentioned as clubs to be organized this season.

A junior series will probably be arranged, the Naval Cadets, High School and the University taking part.

LACK OF GROUNDS HOLDS UP SOCCER

Impossible to Proceed With Preparation of Intermediate Schedule

Six teams are kept out of soccer competition through lack of grounds it was announced last night's meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer League.

The delegates of the intermediate league Clubs were in attendance, and it was hoped to draw up a schedule. President W. H. Hadley explained that the only thing to prevent play being started in the league was that there were no grounds available.

The Football Association has taken the matter up with the City Council who have turned the problem over to the Parks Committee. The league is anxiously awaiting an appointment with the committee before they are able to set a series of games for the intermediate soccer men.

WITH THE SOCCER MEN

There was another busy session at the league meeting last night, at which next Saturday's games were arranged as follows:

Wests v. Harbor Marine at Beacon Hill, referee J. B. Dickson.

Foundation v. Comrades, Royal Athletic Park, referee W. Stewart.

Fragments v. Yarrows at Jubilee.

Referee Sergeant Major Jones.

A. and N. Vets v. North Wards.

K. of C. v. G. W. V. A. North Ward Park, referee P. C. Payne.

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The K. of C. team will get the services of a speedy player in A. McKinnon, whose transfer from the Harbor Marine was authorized. Another K. of C. player, Jimmy Allen, was also taken on the strength of the Harbor Marine. A. E. Coles from the Comrades to the Fragments was a third transfer put through.

Referee Adams will be asked to present a more definite statement at the next meeting regarding the time played in the North Ward vs. K. of C. game last Saturday.

Interference by Secretary Forsythe and Pierce is alleged by Referee Fordyce in the West vs. Comrades game, and the three gentlemen named and witnesses are asked to appear at next week's league meeting and make an explanation.

President W. H. Hadley refused to change his ruling regarding the unplayed Foundation vs. North Ward game, in which he awarded the points to the former club. Ruling any discussion out of order he remarked that the North Wards had the privilege of appealing to the B.C. A.

In the absence of Secretary A. C. Hill, Mr. Bord acted as secretary. Games Saturday are scheduled for 2 o'clock and referees unable to appear are asked to give notification for another referee to be selected.

Dutch Clegg is ditching his lacrosse uniform for a soccer outfit during the winter months and will line up with Foundation eleven.

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**AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY**

Royal Victoria—Charles Ray in "Hay Foot, Straw Foot,"
Pantages—Vaudeville.

Variety—United Artists' release, "One of the Blood," featuring Douglas Fairbanks.

Dominion—DeMille production, "For Better, for Worse," starring Gloria Swanson.

Columbia—Earle Williams in "A Diplomatic Mission" and serial, "A Fight for Millions."

Roman—Mary McLaren in "The Unpainted Woman," and serial.

ROYAL VICTORIA

Charles Ray has an entirely new character in his latest Paramount photoplay which will be seen at the Royal Victoria for two days only, to-night and to-morrow. In this story, written by Julian Josephson, Mr. Ray appears as a country youth who undergoes the adversities of training at a modern military camp.

The story has the atmosphere of camp life and Mr. Ray portrays the character of a youth who bears the name of Ulysses S. Grant Briggs and is expected by his grandfather to live up to all the moral standards of the great American general.

When Ulysses hits the camp with his grandfather's mustet of '61 and all ready to go after the Kaiser, he is the butt of many jokes by his more sophisticated comrades, and when he lets drop the remark that he once took a correspondence course in slight-of-hand he is prevailed upon to appear as a performer at the camp theatre.

He arranges himself in an oriental gown and makes his bow as the great Abdoul ben Mazzaza. All his tricks go wrong, however, and he retires in confusion, much to the uporous delight of the rookies. He gains the sympathy, however, of Betty Martin, a village girl who is appearing as a dancer.

He is quite smitten but after he sees her perform her dance, he tells her he is sorry he cannot include her among his acquaintances. Later, however, he protects her by whipping the villain and refusing to tell why he did so. His silence results in his being summoned for court-martial. The girl rushes to the court-martial and confesses that he is shielding her.

He is commanded by his officer and Betty lets him know that he stands ace high in her affections. Doris Lee is the leading woman.

DOMINION

Cecil B. DeMille's latest production, "For Better, for Worse," which is being shown at the Dominion all week, was written by Edgar Selwyn, one of America's foremost dramatists, who has nearly a score of successful plays to his credit.

Mr. DeMille was in New York some months ago, and while there he met Mr. Selwyn, who narrated to him the plot of a play he intended to produce on the speaking stage in the Fall. Mr. DeMille was so struck by the possibilities of the plot, that he purchased the story from Mr. Selwyn immediately, and took the dramatist back to California with him in order that he might aid in the working out of his story.

Cook and Vernon are a young man and girl who have an entertaining skit called "Sister Susie." Miss Jean Vernon calls up many a laugh with her interpretation of the "Sister" character. Herd and Preston are two clever stockholders who open the show and give a good impression on the audiences. The fourth episode of "The Cossack Case," the picturization of one of the very best of the Craig Kennedy stories adds another interesting feature to the bill.

Tragedy and comedy are cleverly entwined in the working out of the plot of the sketch given by the G. Swaine Gordon company. The story is entitled, "Off with the Old Love," and is described as a big comedy success, for it is the happy element that predominates.

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the German trench system as it existed previous to the Somme battle of 1916. The trenches are numerous and well constructed with plenty of dug out accommodation. They are arranged to meet such an attack as we are contemplating, and further reconnaissance and aeroplane photographs taken to-day disclose the fact that they are exceedingly well wired.

"It is a system of trenches with which the enemy is familiar and this gives him a great advantage.

"3. His artillery has doubtless taken up positions from which they don't need to register, because such registrations are on file.

"4. In an attack on these trenches we cannot count on the element of surprise.

"5. Four years of experience has taught us that troops attempting to cross them will suffer casualties out of all proportion to any gains we may make.

"6. We have just carried out an operation which has been a splendid success, with the result that the morale of the troops is exceedingly high. It would be a pity to spoil this morale by going on with an operation which will cost a great many casualties, unless the necessity for such an operation is very urgent.

"7. That if it is absolutely necessary to carry out this attack, that we allow sufficient time to elapse before making it to give the impression that we are not going to proceed further at present, and in this way we may recover the element of surprise; or better still,

"8. That the Canadian Corps be taken out of this line; that the supply tanks be replenished; then let us go and make an attack some where else, where I believe we can do equally well, if not better, than we did here. I believe if we made an attack on the Third Army Front in the direction of Bapaume, and in conjunction with an attack by the French from their present line, we could force the Boche to evacuate the positions he holds on this side of the Somme without ever attacking them.

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Family Party at Launching of Last of French Steamers

People Who Supplied Material for Construction of Ships to Be Present at Ceremony To-morrow Afternoon

Everything is in readiness for the launching of the twentieth and last steamer for the French Government at the Point Ellice yards of the Foundation Company to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Work on the hull was completed this morning and the launching trigger set in place. Mrs. Bayly Hopkins, wife of the vice-president and North Pacific manager of the Foundation Company, will be the sponsor. The launching ceremony promises to be the most interesting of any yet held.

The officials of the company plan to make a family affair of the launching. Mrs. Hopkins has invited a large number of intimate friends to be present on the launching platform with her, but the officials are issuing a general invitation to the heads of all firms and companies who have been supplying material for the construction of the ships to be present and witness the last vessel slide down the greased slips. It is expected that there will be a large crowd of people present.

The End of a Good Job.

When the ship, which will be christened the Nouvelle Ecosse, takes the water the termination of the largest shipbuilding contract ever awarded in British Columbia will be effected. About a year ago the Foundation Company secured an order for twenty 3,000-ton ships from the French Government, and immediately made preparations for construction on the Songhees Reserve. Splendid progress was made and late in March the first ship was launched. Since then the vessels have been rushed to completion and launched. To-morrow the last craft takes the water and the yards will be closed for good unless the community shipbuilding scheme develops and secures the financial backing of the community.

With the launching of the Nouvelle Ecosse between 800 and 900 men will be laid off. Only a few will be kept on for the purpose of cleaning up the yards.

The work of outfitting the hulls at the Ogden Point plan is being rushed and on Friday morning at 10.30 o'clock the steamer La Salle will leave the docks for her official cruise and trial trips in the Straits. Mr. Hopkins and party will make the trip.

The La Salle is the fourteenth steamer to be tested out, leaving six other hulls to be completed. The work will be finished by the end of the year.

Invited Guests.

Mr. Hopkins has issued the following invitations for the launching to-morrow:

Mayor and Mrs. R. J. Porter, the

Hon. John Hart and Mrs. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Viggers, Astoria, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Little, Vancouver, B. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wooley, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Labbe, Portland, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Wallis; Mr. D. C. Hutchison; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Yarrow; Mr. and Mrs. A. McElvane, Vancouver, B. C.; Col. and Mrs. E. G. Prior; Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Young, Vancouver, B. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Vancouver, B. C.; Dr. Dakers; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Summer, Everett, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Garrett, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bilyou, Astoria, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Winterburn and family; E. E. Trigueaux; J. Thomas; Capt. G. Letestu and Mile. Letestu, Vancouver, B. C.; Dr. A. O. P. Francis; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCormick, Major and Mrs. F. B. Edwards, Capt. and Mrs. T. J. Jackman, Capt. and Mrs. W. J. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. H. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hodges, G. H. Wayland, F. Havaside, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Watchman, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McCay, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Shaw, S. S. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. E. White, F. White, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Freeman, Newton Pullen, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ewers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. J. Webster.

VESSELS' MOVEMENTS

Hankow, Oct. 3.—Arrived: Tama-nakan, San Francisco.

Hongkong, Oct. 3.—Arrived: Kar-tori Maru, Seattle. Sailed: Atlanta, San Francisco.

Shanghai, Oct. 4.—Arrived: Pearl Ship, San Francisco.

Manila, Oct. 5.—Sailed: West Henshaw, Seattle.

Newcastle, N.S.W., Oct. 5.—Sailed: Wairuna, San Francisco.

BRITISH STEAMER SINKS AT SEA; CREW SAVED

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 8.—The British steamer Sirsberg Castle has sunk at sea and her crew are on board the American steamer Afol, according to wireless messages received this morning by the Marine Department agent from the Afol.

MAY BUILD FERRY TO CARRY MOTORS

Steamer Urgently Needed to Handle Cars Between Here and Port Angeles

There is a possibility that by the time the rush of motorists to Vancouver Island commences next summer there will be a special steamer to transport the motor cars across the Strait. The C.P.R. has had under consideration for some time plans of a vessel for this very important work, but the cost of construction at the present moment is prohibitive.

The past tourist season revealed the imperative need of some sort of craft to look after the many motor cars that had to be carried across the waters between here and the mainland. The steamer Sol Duc, which makes the connection with Port Angeles, was altogether too small to handle the number of motorists and their cars who wished to visit the Island. Various business men who are promoting the Georgian Circuit have been active in attempting to secure better transportation service.

The cost of constructing ships is exceptionally high at the present time. A large sum of money would have to be laid out to construct the vessel, which would be of a distinct type on this coast. The vessel would be specially constructed for handling motor cars, having large deck accommodation which would be very easy of access.

People interested in the Georgian Circuit are hopeful that the necessary connecting link between here and Port Angeles will be forthcoming in time to care for the great volume of business which is expected next year. Motorists who travel on the Mainland to Vancouver cross to Nanaimo by ferry and then come to Victoria over the Island Highway are always confronted with the problem of having to wait their turn on getting across to Port Angeles. The result of these delays does not enhance the popularity of the circuit.

JAPANESE SHIPPING KING NOW ON COAST

Baron Kondo Investigating Conditions; Tells of Increases in Service

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 8.—Investigation of Seattle shipping facilities with a view of obtaining more modern terminals for the vessels of the fleet now plying between this port and the Orient and three new lines of carriers which the company plans to operate between the North Pacific Coast and the Far East, was started to-day by Baron Rempei Kondo, president of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Japan Mail Steamship Company, who has arrived in Seattle en route from the peace conference in Versailles to his headquarters in Tokyo.

Baron Kondo was chief adviser on shipping to the Japanese peace delegation, and while in Europe and the United Kingdom made an investigation of the conditions of commerce in some of the big ports on the other side of the Atlantic.

"Trade between this continent and Japan is growing by leaps and bounds. The future holds great possibilities."

So declared Baron Kondo upon his arrival in Seattle from the United Kingdom and Europe.

The plans of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha for increasing its fleet on the Pacific officially announced as follows:

For the American line, Victoria-Seattle service—Three new passenger steamers superior in speed and accommodations to the Empress liners of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd.; these vessels to be of 40,000 gross tons register, while the Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia are of 16,850 gross tons register.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha plans to withdraw the liners Katori Maru and Kashima Maru of the trans-Pacific service and replace them with three 20,000-ton steamships of the latest type and highest speed.

The new liners will be operated in connection with the steamships Suwa Maru and Fushimi Maru now in this trade. This arrangement will give the Nippon Yusen Kaisha five huge passenger liners for operation between this coast and ports in China, Japan and the Philippines.

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Wilson, according to the evidence given some weeks ago, appropriated to his own use the sum of £131, the monies of Messrs. Shaw, Saville and Albion, owners of the vessel.

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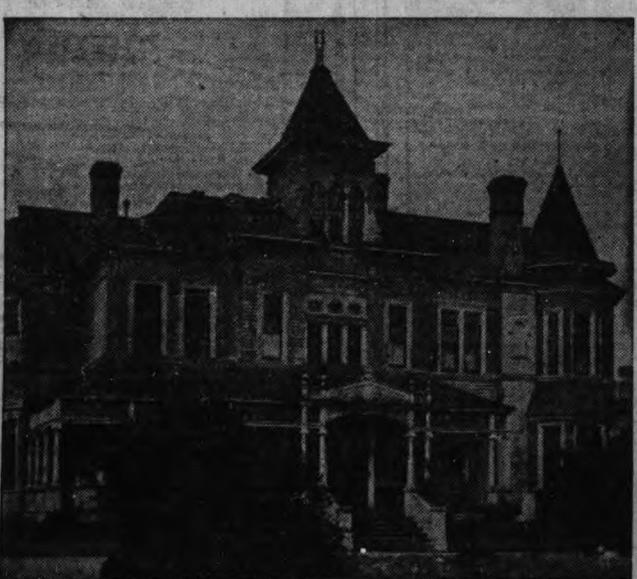
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Union of British Columbia Municipalities Passes Victoria's Resolution

ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE HART COMMISSION
Over Hundred Accredited Delegates Represent Forty-eight Municipalities

(By Times Special Representative.) North Vancouver, Oct. 8.—The Convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities in session here yesterday went on record in favor of the Government providing additional sources of revenue to meet municipal obligations.

Councillor Shallcross, Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, spoke strongly in favor of the resolution, which came from Victoria. His argument was that the municipalities were facing a position when solvency could not last much longer, and in fact the Government was driving them to an abyss. In Victoria the recent tax sale had shown that \$90,000 worth of property had been bought in by the city because no one would buy it. The speaker alluded to the added expenditure entailed by the cost of education, and similar departments. As the facts stood in the largest cities found themselves forced to a position where unimproved lands had ceased to be regarded as collateral security for loans, Mr. Shallcross declared.

His view was largely shared by Alderman Kirk, Chairman of the Finance Committee of Vancouver, who showed that the per capita cost of administration in Vancouver was \$26 in 1912, now it was \$52 per capita.

The Local Problem.

Alderman Sargent, of Victoria, took the line that the Victoria taxpayers had invested \$8,000,000 in local improvements during the past decade, and yet no return was permitted to the municipality through a tax on the motorists who used those improvements. Heavy expenses were entailed for education, and for police. For instance, Victoria spent \$75,000 on the administration of justice, while \$7,500 only came back in fines, he stated.

F. A. McDermid said the shoe pinched in just so far as the population increased in a community. He read figures which have already appeared in The Times from American cities to show what percentage of revenue is raised from land tax. All are smaller than in this Province.

It A Parallel?

Major McKenzie, of Nanaimo, remarked that while the Attorney-General attacked the Dominion Government regarding the Settlers' Rights question on Vancouver Island the Provincial Government was adopting a similar course with regard to the lawful revenue of the municipalities.

Major Gray declared that a thorough collection of the income tax would remove all necessity of taking municipalities' revenue.

The resolution was adopted with enthusiasm, after slight criticism from representatives of rural municipalities.

As adopted, the resolution says:

"That it is necessary that municipalities be granted additional sources of revenue in order to meet the obligations already imposed on them."

Financial Commission.

Naturally one of the principal questions before the Union is its attitude to the proposed sittings of the Commission set up by Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, to investigate municipal finances.

The convention was asked to go on record appointing the solicitor as its representative before the sittings, but the meeting declared such work must be properly exercised by the executive of the organization. Before passing the resolution, however, the convention favored having the discussion on the draft of the Municipal Act, deferred until Wednesday.

Duplicating Machinery.

The convention went on record against the duplication of machinery by which the Public Utilities Commissioner and the Inspector of Municipalities do somewhat similar work. Penticton delegates stated that when they desired an extension of a public utility, the Public Utilities Commis-

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